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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 124098 U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP03/15566			INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE December 4, 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED December 5, 2002					
TITLE OF INVENTION ARTIFICIAL VISION SYSTEM									
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Yasuo TANO; Takashi FUJIKADO; Yutaka FUKUDA; Tetsuya YAGI									
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:									
1.	$\boxtimes$	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.							
2.		This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.							
3.	· 🖂	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.							
4.		The US has been elected (Article 31).							
5.	<u>,</u> 🛛	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))							
	•	a.  is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).							
	Q	b. 🛮 has been communicated by	the International Bureau.						
	-	c. $\square$ is not required, as the applic	cation was filed in the United States	Receiving Office (RO/US).					
6.	$\boxtimes$	An English language translation of	the International Application as file	d (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))					
		a. 🛛 is attached hereto.							
		b.  has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							
		c. The International Application was filed in English.							
7.		Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))							
		a.   are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).							
		b.  have been communicated by the International Bureau.							
		c.  have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.							
		d.  have not been made and will not be made.							
8.		An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).							
9.	$\boxtimes$	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).							
10. ⊶		An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).							
Item	s 11 t	to 20 below concern document(s)	or information included:						
11.	$\boxtimes$	An Information Disclosure Stateme	ent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.						
12.	$\boxtimes$	An assignment document for recor	ding. A separate cover sheet in co	mpliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.					
13.	$\boxtimes$	A preliminary amendment.							
14.	$\boxtimes$	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.							
15.		A substitute specification.							
16.	$\boxtimes$	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.							
17.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.							
18.		A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							
19.		A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							
20.		Other items or information:							
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